

AGENTS OF UNION ACCUSED OF GIANT BLACKMAIL PLOT

Raid on Clothing Workers
Discloses Alleged National
Graft Strike Scheme.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—A meeting of business agents of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America last night bore unexpected fruit yesterday. Two automobile loads of detectives swooped down on the union headquarters at noon and seized all records of the organization. On the heels of the raid came announcements from the office of State's Attorney Storme that the raid had accomplished the following:

Foreclosed an attempt to blackmail business men and the public out of thousands of dollars by calling a "graft" strike.

Paved the way for the indictment and prosecution of officials of the union on charges of extortion and blackmail.

Unearthed evidence of huge and far-reaching radical activities on the part of the members.

Samuel Kirsman, Frank Rosenbloom and Samuel Levin are the agents. The organization, of which Sidney Hillman, an A. F. of L. "outlaw" is international president, is said to have more than 150,000 members, completely controlling Chicago, Rochester and New York City. It is not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. More than \$500,000 has been taken from clothing manufacturers as "fines" and "settlements" in labor disputes. It is charged by the State Attorney's office. The members of the union have profited by steady, concentrated strikes until present salaries average \$10 a week.

ARMY FINANCE HEAD NEEDED

Committee Recommends One in a Report to Congress.

The need in the United States Army for a director of finance is a permanent policy, according to the report of the Consulting Committee of Army Finance, No. 53 William Street, which was forwarded today to the Senate Committee on Military Affairs. The report says in part:

"It seems to us manifest that the former system of autonomous action by each bureau of the army in effecting purchases, disbursing funds, preparing estimates for Congress, etc., is antiquated, inefficient, confusing and wasteful.

"There should be one single agency in full and responsible charge of everything which appertains to disbursing, accounting and financial control."

SAY HE SOLD WHISKEY.

"Ginger Ale Highball" for Women Cause Trouble.
John J. Dolan, manager of the Ritz

cafe, No. 2193 Seventh avenue, was arrested early today charged with selling to women two ginger ale highballs that contained whiskey. Max Schutunoch, thirty-five years old of No. 425 West 15th Street, employed in the same cafe, was also arrested charged with interfering with an officer making an arrest. Both were released on bail. Detectives Gilroy and Gliman said they entered the cafe and noticed the glasses on a table. Gliman said he picked one up to taste of it when an unidentified man knocked it out of his hand. Then somebody brushed all the other glasses off the table. The arrests followed.

LOST SUGAR OWNER SOUGHT

Police Find 2,375 Pounds in an Alleyway.

Nineteen bags of semi-refined sugar, totalling 2,375 pounds, are at the East Twenty-second Street Police Station awaiting an owner. They were found last night in an alleyway at No. 21 Union Square West by Patrolman Guido Kohler. He scouted around the neighborhood seeking the owner, who was not to be found, however. No grocery establishment is where such articles might have belonged were in the vicinity of the station house.

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